

2016 Legislative Update/Notice Summary

EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 1, 2016

TO: All persons required to register in Florida as a Sexual Offender or Sexual Predator

FROM: The Florida Department of Law Enforcement, Florida Sexual Offender/Predator Registry

Below are highlights of new Florida registration requirements (F.S. 943.0435 and F.S. 775.21). The registration statutes (F.S. 943.0435, sexual offenders; F.S. 775.21, sexual predators), are available at: <http://www.leg.state.fl.us/statutes/>.

Contact your local sheriff's office with questions regarding your registration requirements or the Florida Department of Law Enforcement at 1-888-357-7332, or sexpred@fdle.state.fl.us.

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PHONE NUMBERS – must be reported **within 48 hours** of any change.

EMPLOYMENT INFORMATION – must be reported **within 48 hours** of any change.

If you are **NOT** on supervision with the Department of Corrections (DOC) or the Department of Juvenile Justice (DJJ), changes to Phone Numbers and Employment Information can be reported online through the Cyber Communication System (CCS) **OR** in-person at the sheriff's office.

*** If you are on supervision with DOC or DJJ, you MUST report this information to your probation officer.**

INTERNET COMMUNICATION:

➤ **Internet Identifiers are used for internet communication through:**

- Email,
- Chat,
- Instant Message,
- Social Networking,
- Social Gaming, OR
- Other Similar Programs

➤ **You MUST report all of your Internet Identifiers PRIOR to using them:**

- All Usernames, Logins, Screen Names, and Screen Identifiers together with the associated Uniform Resource Locators (URLs) or Application Software (Apps) for each.
- All URLs or Apps used for anonymous communication.
 - **Uniform Resource Locators (URLs)**—the website addresses for the sites you use **for internet communication** including the home page or log in page for such sites. The URL for each web page of a website does NOT need to be reported.
For example, if you report <https://www.facebook.com> you would not also have to report <https://www.facebook.com/directory/> or <https://www.facebook.com/games/>.
 - **Software Application (Apps)** – the programs used **for internet communication** on your phone, tablet, or computer such as Facebook, Snapchat, Twitter, Kik, etc.
 - **Internet identifier does not include a URL or App used for utility, banking, retail, or medical purposes.**
 - **Internet identifier does not include a date of birth, Social Security number, or personal identification number (PIN)**.**

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***Voluntary disclosure by a sexual predator or sexual offender of his or her date of birth, Social Security number, or PIN as an Internet identifier waives the disclosure exemption for such personal information.*



**USE YOUR
ONLINE LOGIN
NOW TO
REGISTER
YOUR:**

- **INTERNET IDENTIFIERS,***
- **EMAIL ADDRESSES,***
- **AND**
- **EMPLOYMENT INFORMATION***

**AS OF
10/1/2016,
YOU CAN ALSO
LOGIN TO
REGISTER
YOUR:**

- **CAMPUS INFORMATION***
- **AND**
- **PHONE NUMBERS***

Registration Contact Numbers of Sheriffs' Offices for High Volume Counties:

Broward (954) 831-8107 **Duval/JAX** (904) 301-2410 **Hillsborough** (813) 247-8460 **Miami-Dade** (305) 715-3333
Orange (407) 254-7000, Ext. 7 **Palm Beach** (561) 688-4990 **Pinellas** (727) 582-7768 **Polk** (863) 298-6200 **Volusia** (386) 248-1788

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INTERNATIONAL TRAVEL:

- Do you plan to travel outside of the United States for 5 or more days? If so, you must report in-person to the Sheriff's Office at least 21 days prior to your departure date.
- If an emergency international travel situation comes up, you **MUST** report in person to the sheriff's office **as soon as possible** before departure.
- You **MUST** provide travel itinerary information, including:
 - Your expected departure and return dates, ✈️ Flight number, ✈️ Airport, and/or 🚢 Cruise port of departure, AND/OR,
 - Any other means of intended international travel 🚗, 🚌, 🚲, 🏍️, 🚶.

REGISTER YOUR INFORMATION ONLINE*

USE FDLE'S CYBER COMMUNICATION SYSTEM (CCS)



1. Visit the website at <https://offender.fdle.state.fl.us/ccs>
2. Use your User Name and Password to login.
 - a. You can get your User Name from the Sheriff's Office or FDLE at 888-357-7332.
 - b. If you forgot your password, call FDLE at 888-357-7332 to reset it.
3. Now you can update some of your required information such as:
 - a. Internet Identifiers – must be reported prior to use.
 - b. Email Addresses – must be reported prior to use.
 - c. Employment Information – must be reported within 48 hours of any change.
4. As of October 1, 2016, you will also be able to report the following through CCS:
 - a. Phone Numbers – must be reported within 48 hours of any change.
 - b. Campus Information – change in status of enrollment or employment, whether as a volunteer or for compensation, must be reported within 48 hours of any change.

If you are **NOT** on supervision with the Department of Corrections (DOC) or the Department of Juvenile Justice (DJJ), changes to Internet Identifiers, Email Addresses, Phone Numbers, Employment Information, and Campus Information can be reported online through the Cyber Communication System (CCS) **OR** in-person at the sheriff's office.

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See opposite side for Internet Communication requirements.

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